

**UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
EASTERN DISTRICT OF NEW YORK**

**CIVIL CONFERENCE
MINUTE ORDER**

BEFORE: ANNE Y. SHIELDS
U.S. MAGISTRATE JUDGE

DATE: 5/9/2017
TIME: 3:00 PM
FTR: 3:11-3:16

CASE: **CV 16-6253 (DRH) (AYS)** Pitre v. IVCI, LLC

TYPE OF CONFERENCE: STATUS

APPEARANCES: Plaintiff Matthew Madzelan
Defendant Timothy Domanick

THE FOLLOWING RULINGS WERE MADE:

- ☐ Scheduling Order entered.
- ☐ Settlement conference scheduled for ___ in courtroom 830 of the Long Island Courthouse. Counsel shall comply with the undersigned's individual rules on settlement.
- ☐ Proposed settlement pending: By ___, each party shall notify the court by *ex parte* letter to chambers at (631) 712-5715 whether it accepts or rejects the proposed settlement. These letters will be kept confidential.
- ☐ The Joint Pretrial Order is accepted for filing and the action is deemed ready for trial.
- ☒ Other:

Rulings by the Court:

In light of the fact that settlement negotiations are progressing, discovery is STAYED with the following exceptions, through June 9, 2017.

- 1) The plaintiff is hereby ORDERED to sign all medical authorizations by May 16, 2017, and not to take any actions to interfere with the execution of the medical authorizations once signed
- 2) Any remaining document discovery, including the exchange of Plaintiff's medical records, as discussed supra, are to proceed during the 30 day stay of discovery. However, no depositions shall take place during the stay.
- 3) Counsel are directed to submit a joint status letter on June 12, 2017, advising this Court whether this case has settled, and if not, the status of settlement negotiations. If the parties would like to schedule a settlement conference, counsel should include such a request in the joint letter as well as three proposed dates that all counsel and clients are available for an in-person conference.

SO ORDERED

/s/ Anne Y. Shields
ANNE Y. SHIELDS
United States Magistrate Judge